

# The DuPont Nature Center's Sixth Annual **Peace, Love & Horseshoe** **Crab Festival**

Saturday, May 16th, 2015  
10am–3pm

## **Interested in volunteering? Here's how!**

1. Check out the list of volunteer positions and shifts below and on the back of this sheet.
2. Email or call Dawn Cox with your top 1 or 2 choices, your t-shirt size and your contact information. Be sure to include which shift(s) you will be volunteering for.  
Contact Dawn Cox at 302-422-1329 or dawn.cox@state.de.us.
3. That's it—it's that easy! You will be contacted to confirm the position(s) and shift(s) you have signed up for. Please contact Dawn Cox with any questions.

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## **Volunteer Shifts**

**Set-up:** 7:30am

**Morning Shift:** 9:00am—1:00pm

**Afternoon Shift:** 12:30pm—3:30pm (includes tear-down)

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to volunteer!**

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## **Volunteer Positions**

- Volunteer/Information Table
- EcoStation Leaders/Educators
- Parking/Traffic Control
- Nature Center Attendants



# Volunteer Positions

<b>Set Up and/or Tear Down</b>	Volunteers are needed to assist with putting up canopies, placing directional signage, setting up tables, chairs, and ecostations. At the end of the day, volunteers are needed to break down ecostations, canopies, tables and chairs, and to assist with trash removal.
<b>Information/ Passport Station</b>	* Volunteers at this station will greet guests and provide information/directions to activities and stations. This is also the station where volunteers sign in. * Children will be given passports to get stamped at each EcoStation. Volunteers at this station will hand out passports and provide prizes to children who return with completed passports.
<b>EcoStation 1:</b> Cast and ID	Youth (and family members too!) will learn to identify fish and cast a fishing rod in order to improve their fishing skills.
<b>EcoStation 2:</b> Fins, Scales, and Fish Tales	Visitors will learn interesting facts about fish of the Delaware Bayshore Region. Gyotaku (Fish Printing) will be done on bandanas as a make-n-take activity.
<b>EcoStation 3:</b> What Can I Eat With This Beak?	Participants will pretend to be a bird and see what kind of food their beak allows them to eat.
<b>EcoStation 4:</b> What Lives in a Shell?	Participants will dig through the sand to find a shell and learn about what animal made it.
<b>EcoStation 5:</b> Hooray for Horseshoe Crabs!	Festival-goers will meet live horseshoe crabs and learn how they help other animals and people too.
<b>EcoStation 6:</b> Birds with Bracelets	Visitors will learn about shorebird migration and how banding is used to track individual birds, they can make a bracelet (band) to take home.
<b>EcoStation 7:</b> Sensation Station	Visitors will get an up-close and personal experience with some live creatures from the Delaware Bay within a live touch tank.
<b>EcoStation 8:</b> Birding 101	Visitors will learn to use binoculars and scopes to find and identify the common shorebirds of the Mispillion Harbor. They can join Volunteers from the Delaware Shorebird Project Team on the upper deck as they re-sight previously banded shorebirds.
<b>Nature Center Attendant</b>	Greet and interact with guests inside the nature center as they visit the educational exhibits.
<b>Traffic Control</b>	Since Lighthouse Road will be closed from the boat launch area to the nature center, volunteers are needed to assist the public with parking their vehicles at the launch area.
<b>People Mover Attendant</b>	Assist guests on and off the people mover wagon and supervise the waiting area. There will be one attendant at the boat launch parking lot and one at the nature center lot.